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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

BEST WESTERN INTERNATIONAL, INC.,	)	NO. CV5-5816-RBL
an Arizona non-profit corporation,	)	
	)	STIPULATION AND TEMPORARY
Plaintiff,	)	RESTRAINING ORDER AND ORDER
	)	TO SHOW CAUSE
vs.	)	
	)	
RICHARD KUMAR, a resident of the state of	)	
Washington, JANE DOE KUMAR, and the	)	
marital community composed thereof,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
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**I. STIPULATION**

WHEREAS Plaintiff Best Western International, Inc. (“Best Western”) represents that it owns trademarks, trade names, service marks, and collective membership marks registered with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the “Best Western Marks”);

WHEREAS Defendant Richard Kumar (“Kumar”) owns the Aladdin Motor Inn located in Olympia, Washington (the “Hotel”);

AND WHEREAS Best Western brought this action against Kumar and his marital community to enforce its rights in the Best Western Marks, requesting monetary and injunctive relief specified in the Prayer for Relief in the Verified Complaint for Federal Trademark Infringement, False Designation of Origin, Federal trademark Dilution, Breach of Contract, Open Account, Post-Termination Use of Trademarks, Unfair Competition, State Trademark Dilution, and Common Law Trademark Infringement (the “Complaint”);

1 Best Western and Kumar hereby enter into this Stipulation and Temporary Restraining  
2 Order and Order to Show Cause (“Stipulation and Order”), and stipulate as follows:

3 1. Upon the entry of this Stipulation and Order, and subject to the conditions of  
4 Paragraph 2 herein, Kumar and any person or entity acting at his direction or on his behalf or in  
5 concert with Kumar, including any officer, agent, representative, and/or employee of Kumar,  
6 is/are enjoined and restrained from, and shall cease and desist from:

7 (a) using the Best Western Marks, any colorable imitation thereof, or any other  
8 confusingly similar marks;

9 (b) displaying, authorizing, licensing or assisting or facilitating any other person’s or  
10 entity’s use or display of the Best Western Marks or any colorable imitation thereof;

11 (c) using anything consisting of or incorporating any one or more words, letters, designs  
12 or devices that contain any component of the Best Western Marks, or which singly or together are  
13 similar in spelling, sound, appearance, or in any other manner to the Best Western Marks;

14 (d) applying for, pursuing, or owning any applications or registrations, including without  
15 limitation any domain names, business names, corporate names, trade names, trademarks, service  
16 marks or d/b/as that contain any component of the Best Western Marks, any colorable imitation  
17 thereof, or any confusingly similar marks; and

18 (e) using any Best Western Marks, any colorable imitation thereof, or any other  
19 confusingly similar marks anywhere on the Internet or elsewhere, including without limitation  
20 any use on or with any websites, domain names, metatags, key words, banner ads, or search  
21 engines.

22 2. Within fifteen (15) days of entry of this Stipulation and Order, Kumar shall  
23 remove, or modify to avoid infringing upon any Best Western Marks, all curvi-linear “roof”  
24 features bordering or included on any Best Western signs, sign cabinets, and sign frames on  
25 display at the Hotel or otherwise under the control of Kumar. Within eighteen (18) days of entry  
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of this Stipulation and Order, Kumar shall deliver a signed writing to counsel for Best Western warranting that he has complied with this Paragraph 2.

3. Within fifteen (15) days of entry of this Stipulation and Order, Kumar shall deliver a signed writing to counsel for Best Western warranting that no rooms or common areas inside the Hotel display any Best Western Marks, and that he is otherwise in compliance with Paragraph 1 of this Stipulation and Order.

4. Kumar shall show cause before this Court on the first date that the Court is available, but not less than fifteen nor more than twenty days following entry of this Stipulation and Order, why a Preliminary Injunction should or should not issue according to the terms and conditions set forth above. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until the Court has considered and ruled upon Best Western's Motion for Preliminary Injunction. No bond or security is required to be posted by Best Western prior to the Court's ruling upon Best Western's Motion for Preliminary Injunction.

DATED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006.

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**II. ORDER**

The parties having stipulated to the above terms in this matter; and the Court being fully advised in the premises; NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS SO ORDERED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant Kumar shall show cause **in writing** before this Court on January **26**, why a Preliminary Injunction should not issue according to the terms and conditions requested by Plaintiff Best Western. **The Court will schedule oral argument at a later date if it is appropriate under the circumstances.**

SO ORDERED this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006

  
RONALD B. LEIGHTON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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